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1. JUST ONE WEEK AFTER APPOINTING OFFICIALS TO TOP POSTS AT FOUR EXISTING OR PLANNED UNIVERSITIES AS THE PRESUMED PRELUDE TO RESUMING THE PRACTICE OF HIGHER EDUCATION IN SUDAN, PRESIDENT NIMEIRI HAS RESHUFFLED VICE CHANCELLORS AS FOLLOWS: ABDALLA AL TAYEB FROM KHARTOUM TO JUBA; ABDALLA AHMED ABDALLA FROM GEZIRA TO KHARTOUM; AND MOHAMMED AL OBEID AL MUBARAK FROM JUBA TO GEZIRA.

2. COMMENT: THE POINT OF ALL THIS IS THE REMOVAL OF ABDALLA AL TAYEB, WHO REPORTEDLY DID NOT SEE EYE TO EYE WITH KU COUNCIL CHAIRMAN JAAAFAR MOHAMMED ALI BAKHEIT ON THE MATTER OF THE APPOINTMENT OF DEANS (BAKHEIT'S PREROGATIVE UNDER THE NEW RULES). AL TAYEB'S DOOM WAS VIRTUALLY SEALED WITH THE APPOINTMENT OF BAKHEIT, WHO USED TO LABOR UNHAPPILY AS A LECTURER UNDER THE DOMINEERING AL TAYEB WHEN THE LATTER WAS KU DEAN OF FACULTY OF ARTS. SERIOUS PERSONALITY DIFFERENCES ALSO REPORTEDLY EXIST. IT IS UNLIKELY THAT AL TAYEB OR HIS OUTSPOKEN BRITISH WIFE WILL AGREE TO GO TO JUBA, WHICH WILL BE JUST FINE WITH NIMEIRI AND BAKHEIT. ABDALLA AHMED ABDALLA, FORMERLY DEAN OF AGRICULTURAL

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